

~~SECRET~~

6 December 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Covert Communications Committee Members
FROM: Executive Director
SUBJECT: Appreciation

1. Although I had asked the Deputies to pass to each of you my appreciation for your investigative efforts and report of 9 September 1982, I held this formal statement of thanks until I had received the report of the [redacted] task force on your Recommendation 8. That report is now in; I have sent a copy to Bill Donnelly to share with you.

25X1

2. You addressed a subject of fundamental importance to the Agency, of considerable complexity and resource impact, and of no little controversy. You were individually selected, not as directorate representatives to ensure protection of particular equities, but because of your experience and credibility. It was, I think, an interesting experience for you, not without its own moments.

3. I think you know the action taken on each of the 10 recommendations in your report. To ensure that you do, I have sent a two page summary to Bill to share with you also.

4. My thanks to each of you. Well done.

25X1



25X1

~~SECRET~~